



# Newsletter



**Tuesday, December 23rd is a half day at LCS. Dismissal is at 12:15!**



Thanks for helping us "Grow" our Helping Hands Holiday Tree! We collected a total of six boxes of food to donate to the Loaves and Fishes Food Bank!



## Thanks For The Mittens!

The Hancock Women's Club visited LCS last week to bring mittens to all of our K-3rd grade students. Students enjoyed a reading of *The Mitten Tree* by Candace Christiansen and then selected a pair of mittens for their very own. The Hancock Women's Club is seeking volunteers from Lamoine to help with the knitting. If you are interested in helping out please contact Dawn McPhail.



## Lego Robotics Teams Bring Home 1st & 2nd Place!

This year we sent two teams to the FLL Championship in Augusta on Saturday, December 13th. Both teams competed in day long challenges and performed extremely well. The 7th and 8th grade team took home the 1st place trophy for Mechanical Design, while the 5th and 6th grade team brought home the 2nd place trophy in the same category. The 7th and 8th grade team also placed 4th in the robot table challenges out of 70 teams, allowing them to proceed to the quarter finals where they placed 5th. The 5th and 6th grade teams placed 15th out of 70 teams in the robot table challenge.

## Another Concert Hit!

Check out these great pics from our K-8 Holiday Concert! It was a record crowd that came out to support Mrs. Hawthorne and all of our talented performers! Great Job Lamoine!





**A Great Big Thanks to PATRONS and all who donated items for another successful "Penny Sale"!**



**Movie Night - January 10th** - 4:00 and 6:00. \$1 admission per movie. Pizza and concessions available. Watch for more info!

**REMINDERS:**

Please continue to save and send in your BoxTops. We earned \$370 in October! Classroom winners were 4<sup>th</sup> grade and the combined 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Because both Mr. James' and Mr. Barlow's homeroom classes contain 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, and 8<sup>th</sup> graders we are asking that BoxTops being sent in for 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> grade be labeled as Mr. Barlow's class or Mr. James' class.

Register and do your online shopping at [www.onecause.com](http://www.onecause.com) or [www.boxtops4education.com](http://www.boxtops4education.com).

Bring bottles and cans to the Lamoine Redemption Center during regular business hours. Let them know it is for PATRONS & they'll make sure we get it!

Drop off used cell phones, used brand-name printer cartridges (for laser printers and ink jet printers) at the Lamoine School for us to recycle.

**Game Schedule**



- **Tuesday, January 6th** - Girls only - Pemetic @ Lamoine
- **Thursday, January 8th** - Girls 8th Grade Recognition @ MDI High School
- **Friday, January 9th** - Boys & Girls - Swans Island @ Lamoine
- **Tuesday, January 13th** - Boys only - Trenton @ Lamoine
- **Wednesday, January 14th** - Girls Only - MDI Elementary @ Lamoine
- **Thursday, January 15th** - Girls & Boys @ Hancock
- **Thursday, January 22nd** - Boys & Girls @ Conners Emerson
- **Tuesday, January 27th** - Boys & Girls - Cave Hill @ Lamoine
- **Wednesday, January 28th** - Boys 8th Grade Recognition @ MDI High School

**Important Dates!**

**Tuesday, December 23rd**

- Winter Breakfast
- Caroling (K-5)
- Bingo (6-8)
- **Half day - 12:15 dismissal**

**Thursday, January 20th**

- Chess meet @ EEMS
- Thursday, February 5th**
- Chess meet @ EEMS

**PATRONS will be accepting donations for next year's sale all year long. Just drop off your items or gift bags and paper at the school. We could really use more gifts for men! FYI...You could probably get a lot for a little at the fabulous after Christmas sales!**

**CAROLING**



On Tuesday, December 23rd we will once again be caroling for some of our community friends. **We are asking that parents help us spread some holiday cheer by either sending in individually wrapped baked goods, fruit, or cash donations for us to purchase fruit for the baskets.** Items must be brought into the school office by Monday, December 22nd.